

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 5, line 6, change "2-amino-3,4-dimethylpentanoic acid" to --isoleucine--.

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed contemporaneously with a divisional application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b) of United States Patent Application 08/743,944 (the "parent application"). As originally filed, the parent application presented claims 1-12. A Restriction Requirement, dated April 11, 1997 in the parent application, divided the claims into three groups, as follows:

I. Claims 1-2 and 4-12 (in part), drawn to compounds of formula I where Y is R⁵ and R⁵ represents a pyrrolidine, classified in class 548.

II. Claims 1-2 and 4-12 (in part), drawn to compounds of formula I where Y is R⁵ and R⁵ represents a piperazine, classified in class 544, as noted in Examiner's action, dated June 12, 1997 in the parent application.